

Indian Association Annual Meeting

About 150 delegates attended the annual convention of the Indian Association held in Crowfoot Hall last Thursday and Friday. The delegates came from all over the province. From Saddle Lake reserve, over 500 miles away. Frog Lake, Goodfish Lake, Diff Lake, Crow Lake, Duffield, Long Lake, the Blood reserve at Cardston. Narrows from Calgary district and from the Hobbema reserve.

W. P. B. Pugh, superintendent of the Blackfoot Reserve welcomed the delegates for the Indian Affairs branch. A letter of greeting was read from Hon. W. E. Harris, minister of citizenship. There was also greetings from C. McElroy, provincial director of the Indian Association of Alberta on behalf of the Blackfoot band.

John Lawrie of Calgary is secretary of the Association. The meeting closed with a prayer by the Premier. The delegates were between the ages of 65 and 69 years did not receive old age pensions. On Friday afternoon it was learned that the meeting had been well attended and that all objectives had been cleared away and it is likely that in the near future delegate Indians will be granted old age pensions.

A lot of the Indians from the north coast are perfectly satisfied with the variation with them one would not now that they were Indians. The whites in town marvelled at their knowledge of English. When they described the country from which they came it was a pleasure to listen to and since their descriptions were so clear.

F.W.U.A. Meeting

The F.W.U.A. met at the home of Mrs. J. Van Navel last week and the roll call was "Our Father's Word day". President Mrs. G. B. Brown conducted the meeting.

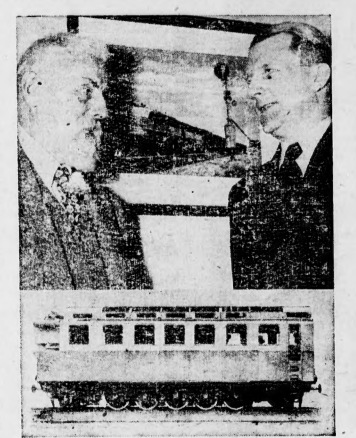
Final arrangements were made for the coming convention. Eight members from Gleichen were appointed to attend the convention. A donation was sent to the Recreation Centre to help cover the floor.

The meeting was pleased to learn that two of the members who have been ill are improving in health. One is Mrs. G. B. Brown and the other is Mrs. G. B. Brown. A contest was put on by Mrs. F. H. Hake and Mrs. P. B. McKeever won the prize.

The next meeting will be held on June 26 at the home of Mrs. J. Unruh.

THIS IS THE SEASON FOR VEAL

Veal can be a headliner for your menu this month. It is in very good supply just now. The home economists of the consumer section say that since veal is not sold according to grade, it is an advantage to be able to judge the quality of the meat by its appearance. The home economists have found that many homemakers do not buy veal because they do not like it but because they do not know which cuts to buy or for that matter, what the cuts actually are. The home economists, always alert to the needs of the consumer, offer some very timely information. The veal carcasses are not always cut up the same way, but list some of the cuts that are usually found in the butcher shop. First of all, there are three kinds of chops—loin, rib and shoulder. There are two kinds of steaks—loin and rib. The veal is sold in two ways. The whole front is boned then cut into roasts of three to four pounds. There is a right and wrong way to do these things and there is a right



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JAMES DISEL PIONEER

A college thesis was responsible for a long delayed meeting in Montreal recently between the Russian scientist who designed and built the world's first diesel-electric locomotive (shown above) and the vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The story began when N. R. Crump (right) was studying for his Bachelor of Science degree at Purdue University, and was renewed in 1936 when Mr. Crump was locomotive engineer at Moose Jaw in his thesis for his mechanical engineer's degree. His subject, "Internal Combustion Engines in the Railroad Field," was one that required a study

of facts that were almost unobtainable at that time. He turned to the reports of Dr. G. V. Lomonosoff (left), a Russian chemist and engineer who had designed a diesel locomotive as early as 1920, and had one in operation in 1923, to get the information he needed. The 70 year old Dr. Lomonosoff, whose son is a resident engineer with the Montreal Locomotive Works has been living so quietly in Montreal for the past two years, that it was only recently that Mr. Crump learned of his presence in the city and arranged an interview. Modern C.P.R. diesel electric locomotive built by the Montreal Locomotive Works is shown in the picture behind Dr. Lomonosoff and Mr. Crump.

and wrong way to cook veal. The cook long enough to eat it, plus 10 right way is to cook it slowly and cook it long enough. It is hard to understand why veal needs long cooking since it comes from a young animal but it is pointed out that there is considerable connective tissue in veal which does not become tender in cooking. Actually, veal takes longer than beef. It is never served as beef very often is because the meat is not tender until it is done. That is why veal should be roasted longer than other meats. A four pound roast needs two and three quarters to three hours cooking long. Most of the cuts of good quality veal can be roasted, this is, cooked in an uncovered pan with water. The temperature to use is the same as for other meats, a moderate slow oven. Here is another point about roasting veal. Before putting the roast in the oven, put several pieces of bacon over the top of it to cover the top with bacon fat. This gives the meat a very good flavor. At the same time it adds the extra fat that most veal needs to make enough dripping so that the roast can be basted occasionally while it is cooking. Here is the way the home economists suggest you cook veal. Cutlets and veal steaks are cooked in the same way. To begin with, the chops may be breaded by dipping them in crumbs. After they are browned again or they may be simply dipped in seasoned flour. Next, the chops are browned in just enough hot fat to keep them from sticking to the pan. Bacon fat is good to use because it gives the veal more flavor. After three to five minutes browning the chops should be covered and cooked slowly. Chops about half an inch thick will need about 15 minutes cooking on each side or about 25 minutes altogether. Steaks and chops the same thickness should take slightly more cooking, about 15 minutes on each side. The reason for covering the pan is of course to keep the meat moist. Another way to cook the chops is to add some liquid well-seasoned tomato juice poured over the pan after the chops have been browned. Then the pan is covered and the meat cooked until tender.

The teacher was testing the power of observation of a class. Slapping a half dollar on the desk she said "What is that?" Instantly a voice from the back row called "Tail!"

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Legion W.A. Meel

The rain and mud did not stop 20 ladies from attending the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion Thursday evening in the Legion hall. The president, Mrs. B. L. Bostick, opened the meeting in the usual manner. Three ladies, Mrs. Guthrie, Mrs. Krause and Mrs. Collins joined the organization. Six applications for membership were received and accepted. They are as follows: Mrs. G. McLean, Mrs. Goring, Helen Weir, Mrs. G. Clark of Cluny, Mrs. A. Giesema of Cluny and Mrs. Rose Richies of Arrowwood.

The ladies were well pleased with the report of their filie tea.

Approximately thirty ladies decided by holding up their hands they would like to attend the Ladies Auxiliary Zone 5, Rally on June 27 at Standard.

WEDDING

GIBEAU-DESARDINS

In the flower-bellied sanctuary of St. Victor's Catholic Church, June 14, the radiant wedding overtook the young couple. The ceremony was presided over by a large gathering of friends and relations, when, Theresa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Desjardins, and Ernest Gibeau, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Gibeau of Cluny, were united in the Holy Bonds of matrimony. As the bride entered the church with her attendants, the church bell pealed joyously and several young girls dressed in their blue and white uniforms of Mary costumes, (a Sodality which the bride is a member of) and carrying lighted candles, preceded the wedding procession. Proceeding up the aisle the young couple, accompanied by the bride's mother, Mrs. Gibeau, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Desjardins, were joined by the bride's father, Mr. Desjardins, and the groom's father, Mr. Gibeau, who were seated at the altar. The bride was escorted by her father, who gave her in marriage, and her bridegroom, who entered the sanctuary to be greeted by the groom. And before the high altar a shower of flowers the

beautiful impressive double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Violin, parish priest. After the Father celebrated the Mass with its usual solemnity, the young couple, standing on the choir, softly and reverently sang several beautiful hymns, and were accompanied at the organ by the bride's mother. During the signing of the register the Cluny and Gleichen Council of Knights of Columbus took their place down the centre aisle as a guard of honor for the happy couple as they left the church to the stirring strains of "Laudate to Mary". The families of the bride and groom appreciated gratefully and everyone warmly praised the wonderful efforts of Father Violin, in planning and carrying out this grand ceremony, depicting the dignity and sanctity of the Sacrament of Matrimony, from the time the bride entered the church, to the moment, she knelt on the altar steps to receive the final blessing of God.

All who witnessed the ceremony of the bride was as dignified as a Dresden doll in her lovely white gown of Italian lace with ivory satin, having a fitted bodice, with nylon sheer yoke, six-inch sleeves and row of satin-covered buttons, reaching to the hipline, in the back. The skirt, was ballarina length and worn over one of exquisite finger-ring veil was gathered to a coronet of orange blossoms fashioned from pearls; this veil had been worn by the bride and her three sisters for First Holy Communion and Confirmation; her coronal bouquet was red roses and lily-of-the-valley, and she carried a beautiful crystal rosary, gift made by the groom, also a lovely bride's prayer book with a simulated mother of pearl cover, gift of her two sisters, in religion Sister Eulalia and Sister Augusta. She wore her ornaments, consisting instead her Child of Mary medal, pendant from a blue ribbon. Her maid-of-honor, a younger school mate, Miss Virginia McHugh, was charming and graceful in her azure blue gown, fashioned with a lace jacket over a fitted lace bodice, a ballarina length double skirt with hip-length pointed lace, long lace mittens, and carried a colonial bouquet of pink and blue variegated. The two junior bridesmaids looked sweet and dainty in their gowns of navy blue with white trim, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Gibeau, they also were ballarina length; Rosemary, sister of the bride, chose to dress with matting, hat of flowers, and Laurence wedding was noted, spilling with flowered hat, they carried identical colonial bouquets of carnations. Mrs. Desjardins, as mother for her daughter's happy day, a grey-onyx gown of pure silk, complemented by white accessories and corsage of the groom, was smartly gowned in a fitted rose on white nylon with grey accessories.

Philip Gibeau had the honor of being his brother's best man. Leon Desjardins, brother of the bride, and Jerome Corbiel the groom's cousin, very capably took care of the ushering duties. The little ring bearer was Chris, Plante, Patrick, brother of the bride, and Frank Pizarri, the groom's cousin, very capably took care of the ushering duties. Last but not least, we mention that the choir members, Mrs. Desjardins, Mrs. Gibeau, Mrs. B. Bostick, and Connie Bostick assisted Father to decorate the church.

After the ceremony, outside the church by a host of friends, the happy young newly-weds drove to the groom's parental home for an open-house reception until one o'clock, when the bride and groom, with Mr. and Mrs. Gibeau's family, for a luncheon at the home of the bride's parents.

The guests were seated at a luncheon table with white cloths and white and pink sweet peas on either side of the pink and white decorated three-tiered wedding cake. Father Violin was invited by Mr. Desjardins to deliver the toast to the bride, which he

did in an elegant manner. The groom happily responded in a few well-chosen words.

The wedding guests arrived from all directions and were greeted by the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Desjardins and Mr. and Mrs. Gibeau. The guests were invited to make themselves at home in the living-room, which was decorated with white bells and pink streamers, gaudy and sweet peas.

Refreshments and lunch were enjoyed by all throughout the afternoon; the bride assisted by the groom, cut the cake, the it was served by the ladies who so kindly helped during the morning and afternoon.

About seven o'clock, and Theresa had trouble starting the bridal car. Something had happened during the afternoon and it took him nearly an hour to find out the trouble. They finally drove off amidst the cheers and best wishes of all to Calgary and points west. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Gibeau will live at their farm home, north of Cluny.

The numerous and beautiful gifts Ernest and Theresa received are beyond description. We think that they will have to turn some of them over to the church.

Out of town guests attending were: Mrs. Gibson, grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. Goss, her aunt from Vermilion, also her cousin Mr. and Mrs. Desjardins, and Mr. Desjardins, the groom's aunt. Mr. Desjardins, of Calgary.

Mrs. Clara Desjardins reported 135 guests signed the Bride's Book.

The Ottawa Letter

THE TAX DOLLAR

Debates in parliament follow after the same pattern year after year, regardless of the political leaning of the party in power. The argument is always trying to save the taxpayer's money because they have to decide ways, often painful, of securing that money and, opposition groups always clamor for more and more money being spent and it is popular to hand out money.

Newspaper editorials often point out, against the high taxation and insist that the government is spending too freely. Yet, when asked for details as to what expenditures they would discontinue, there are no specific recommendations. One opposition member recently made a list of services he would strike out. He was at once taken to task by his fellow C.C.F. members and they with one accord said he was speaking.

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SYNOPSIS OF BY-LAW NO. 410

In response to many requests for improvement and gratifying of the streets in Gleichen and in the town of Crowfoot, the council has decided to improve the streets in the spring the council have decided, subject to the approval of the voters, to negotiate a loan of \$25,000.00 to carry out the following projects as far as possible:

Grade and gravel Crowfoot Street from Second Avenue to 8th Avenue.
Grade and gravel Gleichen Street from Second Avenue to Ninth Avenue.
Grade and gravel Gleichen Street from First Avenue to 11th Avenue.
Grade and gravel Crowfoot Street from Fourth Avenue to Sixth Avenue.
Grade and gravel Third Avenue from Crowfoot Street to Gleichen Street.
Grade and gravel Fourth Avenue from Crowfoot Street to junction of the main road.
Grade and gravel Fifth Avenue from Crowfoot Street to Gleichen Street.
Grade and gravel Seventh Avenue from Railway Street to school grounds.
Grade and gravel Eighth Avenue from Railway Street to the town limits.

Grade and gravel Ninth Avenue from Gleichen Street to Gleichen Street.

Installing curb on Crowfoot Street from Fourth to Fifth Avenue.

Install a five foot culvert from back of Gleichen implements across Crowfoot Street to ditch following line of present culvert.

Enlarge ditch from back of Gleichen implements to Fourth Avenue.

Enlarge culverts across Third and Fourth Avenues.

Install culverts at present running from Church Cafe across Crowfoot Street to ditch, where needed at west end to drain watershed.

Improve the road running to the elevator.

A vote of the proprietary electors will be taken on July 2nd, 1952, at 10 o'clock in the Town Hall, between the hours of ten a.m. and seven p.m. on July 2nd, 1952, Thursday.

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Canada's Farm Lands

Regina's Gift Goes To Children

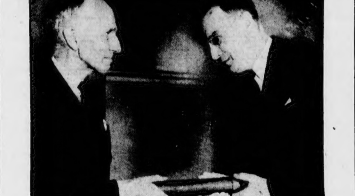
THROUGHOUT THE PAST YEAR interesting information concerning various phases of life in Canada have been made public, as facts gathered in the taking of the 1951 census have been assembled by the statisticians. Among these many facts were some concerning the farming population and the areas of farm land under cultivation in Canada at the time the census was taken. The figures show that there are 54,509 fewer farms now than there were in 1941, but that the number of acres of farm land under cultivation has increased by 480,001. The largest increase in farm acreage has been in British Columbia, where 18.6 per cent. more land is now being farmed. The number of farms in that province has increased by 21.1 per cent., showing that the average holding there is now smaller than it was ten years ago.

Figures Show Fewer Farms

The other Western provinces all show decreases in the number of occupied farms in the ten year period. Saskatchewan had 138,713 occupied farms in 1941 and 125,018 in 1951. In Manitoba there was a drop from 58,024 to 52,333, while in Alberta there were 99,732 occupied farms in 1941 compared to 84,315 today. Several reasons are given for this drop in the number of occupied farms. The trend toward consolidation of farms in some places accounts in part for it, while the use of farm lands for pasture has also contributed to the decline. A shift in population to the cities has taken many from the farms, while the rapid growth of nearly all our larger cities has resulted in the loss of farm lands in the surrounding areas.

Reasons Given For Decrease

Some of the decreases may also be explained by the fact that in 1941 a farm was described as "one acre or more of land which had yielded agricultural products worth fifty dollars or more in 1940." In the 1951 census, a farm was designated as "a holding of three acres or more on which agricultural operations are carried out, or from one to three acres with agricultural production of more than \$100 in 1940, or more than fifty dollars or more." While the figures have shown a decrease in the number of farms, they have also shown an increase in the acreage under cultivation. In all of the provinces, the number of acres of farm land under cultivation has risen in the last ten years from 59,960,927 to 61,683,195. In Alberta it has risen from 43,277,205 to 44,699,632, while in Manitoba the increase has been from 16,691,522 to 17,730,393. In many countries all the land suitable for the growing of crops has long since been brought under cultivation, and Canada is fortunate in being one of those in which agriculture is still an expanding industry.



On behalf of Queen Elizabeth, Governor-General Vincent Massey presents a certificate to Hon. J. C. McEwen, signifying the gift of \$500 to the children of the Canadian Navy. The gift was given to Her Majesty by the city of Regina during her visit to Canada, and she, in turn, turned it over to the fund, which raised \$7,000 by its sale. The fund supplies food and clothing to Europe's needy children.—Central Press Canadian.

Funny and Otherwise

The barber had cut him, nicked him, and gambled him. "Give me a glass of water, please," gasped the victim. "You ain't going to faint, I hope," asked the barber in alarm. "No," replied the victim. "I just want to see if my mouth still holds water."

Motorists entering Williston Park, L.L., are greeted by the following sign:

"Go slow, see our shop, 'Go fast, see our cops.'"

A bus conductor handed back the quarter to a woman passenger. "It's spurious,"

"Rise, wake up, said, examining the coin. 'Why, it's dated 1932. It would have been noticed before if it had been there.'"

As two men were enjoying a promenade on the ceiling one said:

"Aren't those human beings silly?"

"How do you mean, said the other.

"Well," said the first, "they spent a lot of money building beautiful ceilings like this, then they go and walk on the floor."

"I've got you, you're my one and only husband."

"Yes, if there were two or three more of us we might be able to make ends meet."

"You take you had to see the dentist yesterday, but I saw you at the football match."

"Yes, sir. The dentist plays in goal."

"If you're the lady who lifted mother's face," said the small boy to the beauty parlor, "you're better come round and lift father's. He's just got his hair."

Daffy: My uncle is quite a guy. He isn't one an Elk, but he's a Moose as well.

Taffy: Boy, I'll bet you're not in the country, is after him.

A man, obviously distressed, rushed into the bar of his club and ordered and drained two double whiskeys. Asked what troubled him, he said, "My wife's just eloped in my car with my best friend."

"Good Heavens!" said a fellow member, sympathetically. "Not your new car?"

"What did the boy say to you when he called you in?"

"He asked whether I couldn't sand in a little more work, as I always seemed to have a long enough hair."

A life insurance agent was trying to convince a prospective customer. Finally he said: "Why, insurance is the greatest thing in the world. No man should be without it. I even carry a \$25,000 policy myself."

"That's too much," snorted the harassed prospect. "What excuse can you possibly give for my living?"

Cashew nuts come largely from India.

When Your BACK Begins to Ache

REACH FOR DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

BECAUSE—Backache is often due to kidney trouble. Bladder discomfort, and for over half a century Dr. Kidney Pills have helped bring relief from backache by stimulating the kidneys. Get Dr. Kidney Pills at any drug counter. Look for the red horse and red band. You can depend on Dodd's, 140

CANADA HAS EIGHT LEPROS

OTTAWA—Canada now has a total of eight leprosy cases, the last year, which she maintains at two coastal colonies at a cost of about \$22,000 a year. Health Minister Martin said.

He told the Commons it costs \$7,500 a year to maintain the colony at Bertice Island in B.C. where three leprosy patients live and \$14,700 to maintain the other at Regina, N.S., where there are five patients.

MASS PRODUCTION OF POLIO VACCINE IN TWO YEARS

MELBOURNE, Australia. — Sir Macfarlane Burnet, director of medical institute here, has announced that an effective poliovaccine vaccine may be in mass production within two years. He said the vaccine of living tissue could be injected into the children between the ages of one and two, to provide immunization against polio.

28 YEARS AS MEMBER OF MANITOBA CABINET

J. S. McDermid celebrated his 20th year as a member of the Manitoba cabinet. He was sworn in May 27, 1932, as minister of mines, resources and industry and commerce, a position he still holds.

SELECTED Recipe

BE BUDGET-WISE, USE EGGS

The old question "what came first the chicken or the egg" is still a point of contention among those who claim that the egg came first.

But the fact is that the egg came first. The first chicken was hatched from an egg.

So, when you are cooking, remember that the egg came first. Use eggs in your recipes.

For example, you can use eggs in your soups, stews, and casseroles. They will add flavor and texture to your dishes.

And, if you are on a budget, eggs are a great way to stretch your money. They are a cheap source of protein and can be used in many different ways.

So, next time you are in the kitchen, remember to use eggs. They are a versatile and delicious ingredient that can help you save money and make your meals more interesting.

And, if you are looking for more recipes that use eggs, check out our website. We have a lot of great ideas for you.

Thank you for reading our article. We hope you found it helpful and interesting. Please let us know what you think in the comments below.

With love and care,
The Gleichen Call

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CANADA'S FINEST
CIGARETTES

"Lilliputian" Vole is No Enemy to Many Farmers

WINNIPEG, Man.—The "Lilliputian" vole, public enemy No. 1 to many Canadian farmers, was not a millipede of shallow, wet crop damage across the prairies. The tiny, furry and extremely prolific prairie vole often is erroneously referred to as the meadow mouse.

The vole who frisks, while ducks, deer, elk and other wildlife get most of the blame for the damage, is noted in scientific observations as ravagers of grain fields in eastern Canada as early as the 17th century. Scientists, call it "one of the greatest destroyers of crops in history."

George Freeman, project manager for the Strathmore area of southern Alberta, reported:

"A very amazing feature this spring is the number of mice observed. They are the short-tailed variety which is quite abundant at swimming. There are literally millions of them in the fields and over the country."

He said oat crops were almost completely ruined by the mice and wheat had also suffered considerably. "On the brighter side, however, is the fact that these tiny animals are now dying by the thousands—another instance of Nature striking her balance."

Officials of the wildlife group here explained that these were only pre-summer examples. They said an old Testament reference to voles, covering a plague which visited upon the Philistines, stated:

"Mice were generated and boiled over the towns and fields in the midst of that region, and there was a confusion of death in all the land."

Curious was this of the voles: "The rate of propagation of field mice is such that the population of the structure they cause, are rare beyond all telling."

Current investigation indicates the vole has survived the passage of the century, and is now successfully taking most of the present civilization. An almost unparalleled menace to crops and animals, the vole is a pest which is concerned, one which is widely loathed.

In 1699, one historian recorded that "The Island of St. John (Prince Edward) was visited by a plague of voles every seven years by swarms of locusts or field mice alternately."

Records in Nova Scotia show the province experienced one of its greatest outbreaks of mice in 1815. "The extent of crop damage was undetermined, but the record states, 'by midsummer they have destroyed great quantities of hay and grain.'"

During the autumn of 1900, great numbers of mice overran central Saskatchewan and central Alberta, according to the American naturalist, Preble, who had studied the vole extensively in western Canada.

Preble, in a report on his findings, said "they also multiplied in some parts of Manitoba and all over the middle-west a great deal of grain was destroyed by them, both in fields and storehouses."

To Find New Use For Coal By Experiments

OTTAWA.—A coal-fired gas turbine engine operating at half the cost of a diesel counterpart is the dream of Canada coal industry.

Experiments on the turbine have started at McGill University under Prof. Donald Morell. A pilot plant based on the principles of the engine is expected to be completed within five months. The federal government is contributing about \$100,000 to the project.

Woman Loses Life In Freak Accident

VANCOUVER.—A jagged fragment of a broken pitcher claimed the life of a 62-year-old housewife here.

Inhalator nurse said Mrs. Amy Foster was carrying the pitcher in her kitchen when she dropped it and it broke.

Mrs. Foster then slipped and fell on one of the sharp pieces, severing an artery in her leg. She died to death, sitting on the kitchen floor, before medical aid arrived.

British Columbia has the largest proportion of married women in Canada, more than 50 per cent. of its total population.

Now Many Wear FALSE TEETH With Little Worry

But little is known without fear of insecure false teeth, dropping, slipping, and causing embarrassment. Now, however, they are more comfortable. This "new" denture is made of a special material which is a skin-like (non-skin), called "FACITEX" at any drug store.

—By Chuck Thurston

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Staking Your Tomato Vines

To stake or not to stake tomatoes has been debated by home gardeners. Those in favor of it argue that staking saves space, keeps fruit clean, lessens damage or losses from rot.

Those against staking say it takes too much time and labor.

Here's the final answer: Tests show that tomatoes from staked vines are consistently higher in vitamin C.

The reason? Because staked tomatoes get more sunshine than those on vines allowed to sprawl on the ground.

Use strong stakes. Each stake should be five or six feet long and set into the ground to a depth of 18 inches. The strips of cloth to tie the plants to the stakes in several places.

Prick make a loop around the stake with a cloth strip, then make a loop around the plant stem, and tie the loop to the stake in several places.

Staked tomatoes will do better if given a certain amount of pruning as they grow. Cut or pinch out suckers at leaf joints. Keep removing suckers until the fruiting period is well advanced. If this is not done the suckers will sap the plant's strength and the fruits produced will be small and poor in quality.

Tomato suckers grow in the joints of the stem between the leaf and the main stem. They are not to be confused with the main stem, which comes directly from the stem on the opposite side and where there is no leaf stem.

Fiery, Itching Skin Gets Quick Relief

Itching skin is a common complaint. It can be caused by many things, such as dry skin, allergies, or skin diseases. There are many ways to get quick relief from itching skin.

One way is to use a cool compress. This can help to soothe the skin and reduce the itching. Another way is to use a topical steroid cream. This can help to reduce inflammation and itching.

It is important to see a doctor if the itching is severe or if it is accompanied by other symptoms, such as redness, swelling, or pain. A doctor can help to determine the cause of the itching and recommend the best treatment.

There are many over-the-counter products that can help to relieve itching skin. These include lotions, creams, and ointments. It is important to read the instructions carefully and to use the product as directed.

Some people find that taking antihistamines can help to relieve itching skin. These are medications that block the effects of histamine, which is a chemical that causes itching.

It is important to remember that itching skin can be a symptom of a serious condition. If you are experiencing itching skin, it is important to see a doctor to rule out any underlying causes.

With proper treatment, itching skin can be relieved quickly and easily. It is important to follow the instructions of your doctor and to use the products as directed.

Thank you for reading our article. We hope you found it helpful and interesting. Please let us know what you think in the comments below.

With love and care,
The Gleichen Call

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY

SLEEPWALKER

By HELEN BEAL

Carl Said, "A Man in Love With His Wife Knows a Great Many Things."

They sat opposite each other. She picked up a spoon of threat from the sewing box. The scissors made a small sound. A needle, quickly thrust, was imprisoned in the bright blue cloth. He looked up over his newspaper and tapped his pipe gently against the rim of the chair.

The light from the flame played across her face. He observed that it accentuated the high cheekbones and highlighted her dark hair. The tense line of her mouth and small furrows between the widely spaced eyes gave her face an expression that was not quite familiar to him. He watched her, not bothering to pick up his paper again.

The clock on the mantelpiece ticked steadily. It made a sharp, almost peevish sound in the quiet room. She glanced up at it frequently.

"Julie," he said, gently, leaning forward so that his fingers, rather than irregular features were marked by the light of the flame, "you dislike that clock, don't you?" she said.

"Of course not, Carl," she said.

"Why should I? It's a beautiful clock."

"Do you know what I'd do with it if I were you?" she said.

"What?" she asked, knitting a bit of thread.

"Put it out of my sight once and for all."

"But why?"

"It seems to have a peculiar effect on me. I'd like you to get rid of it."

"Wouldn't that be rather foolish?"

"I don't think so," he said, slowly resting his pipe.

"We still don't know who sent it to us," she said. "No card was enclosed."

"Come to think of it, there wasn't a card," he said.

"There had been one. He remembered the morning the clock arrived. Fourteen cents had been due on the package. It was characteristic of Anne Halle to send something with postage due. And there was another in the little message which read: 'Happy anniversary to Mr. and Mrs. Carl and Julie. With love and coming architect and his wife. May you build much happiness together.' Possibly the entire difficulty lay in the fact that Anne Halle had

aspired to be a great actress. She had, in fact, even achieved some small success in her chosen profession. Only she hated giving up any part of her life—including herself as one of her potential leading men.

There had been just time enough to slip the card in his pocket when Julie walked into the room. He was certain, he had convinced her the clock was probably from an old friend or a distant relative who had neglected the formality of enclosing a message. It was the second time Anne had sent them a gift on their anniversary. He had tolerated the first, elegant marble book-ends with his customary good humor. Julie had insisted upon keeping them. She knew about Anne Halle because he had told her, and she knew he no longer gave her a second thought because he had told her that. But now, after two years, the gift of an expensive clock was contrived to meet more than sheer impertinence.

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WATER SAFETY HINTS



Bathing or swimming in enclosed, deep water lakes such as farm dugouts has proven to be a risky pastime. It is better to stay out of such places or if one insists on entering a farm dugout, do so on the end of a light rope held by a reliable companion on shore. The illustrated caution is useful only if there is someone who can throw it accurately in a panic. To protect small children, fencing dugouts around the house is cheap insurance.

: Western Briefs :

Edmonton's Population

EDMONTON—Chic census figures show Edmonton's population has reached 169,196, an increase of 10,284 in the last 11 months. The swelling population in the city proper shot the estimated population of greater Edmonton to 185,196, compared with 175,000 at the end of last June.

Better Business Bureau on Job

EDMONTON—The Winnipeg Better Business Bureau reported a total of 5,564 cases investigated in 1954, more than in any previous year. The bureau, in efforts to expose fraudulent business practices.

Park Renovation Program

BATTLEFORD, Sask.—A \$10,000 renovation program is well under way at Fort Battleford's National Historic Park. The park has been completely fenced and portions of the old stockade are being repaired.

P.A.'s "Grand Old Man" Dies

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask.—Angus McKay, known as the "grand old man" of Prince Albert, died recently at age 93. During the 1914 uprising he was a pony express rider serving the forces sent to quell the Metis.

\$60,000 Church for Wakan

WAKAN, Sask.—Construction of a new \$60,000 church at the Shrine of the Little Flower here is almost complete.

Mrs. Cornelia Wilde (Jean Wallace) Puts On Bob Bonnet

Follow the lead of Mrs. Cornelia Wilde (Jean Wallace) who has been wearing a bob bonnet for some time. She is the only woman in the city who has worn one.

The TILLERS

MY LUCKS PRETTY WELL! I'M STARTING MY SPENDING! I'M MAKING A PLAN! I'M STARTING MY SPENDING! I'M MAKING A PLAN!

Do You Know That ...

The tongue is the only part of a dog's body that can perspire.

Calgary Man Operates Most Unusual Bird Sanctuary

Sited in Midst of the Industrial Area. Quecking of Ducks Down on City Noise

CALGARY—George Pickering of Calgary considers himself a "brother to the old wild geese". Sole owner and operator of one of Canada's most unusual bird sanctuaries, he has devoted 26 years of his life to the care of wild fowl.

From a tiny plot back in 1926, Mr. Pickering has built the Inglewood Bird Sanctuary into a 400-acre feathered garden of 2000, lying entirely within the city limits.

Visitors to Calgary are always amazed to find the thriving sanctuary in the midst of heavy industry. A railroad runs beside the east gate. An oil refinery is within a stone's throw. But inside the fence urban noises are drowned out by the quacking of ducks and the rustling of wings.

The sanctuary includes two large islands, a peninsula, a 13-mile stretch of the Bow river, enough land to lay out a golf course and a spring-fed lake which keeps the temperature of the water at exactly 64 degrees the year around.

Mr. Pickering, a former Alberta government fisheries employee, is the fond "father" of 30,000 birds which visit his haven each year and others which are steady boarders.

Around Christmas time you can see the water for the birds; it is the 65-year-old naturalist.

Some of the birds have returned to the same nest for the last 15 years.

Mr. Pickering tells a "mother goose" story about one bird who hatched her brood on mother's day three years ago. She chose the "mother" for the birds; last year she hatched her eggs a day earlier.

Every Sunday afternoon, rain or shine, hundreds of visitors flock to the banks of the sanctuary streams with bags of crumbs and bread crusts. Since 1926, more than 250,000 persons have visited the site. Teachers and pupils, motorists, birders and bird lovers of all kinds are regular visitors.

Walking along the shores one can see more than 19 different kinds of geese and mallards, a steady increase in the number of waterfowl.

There are even a few stately prairie cranes, swans and geese. For a number of years, Mr. Pickering has conducted experiments in cross-breeding of waterfowl.

Perhaps the most amazing thing about the Inglewood Sanctuary is the fact that Mr. Pickering has worked and borne the expense all by himself. For more than 26 years he has been patiently to supply a home for his feathered friends—and has never received a cent for his trouble.

SPRING—The little white scales are on the move. Regimens with spruce trees in their yards are advised by Parks Superintendent Bill Murray to be on the lookout for the little mites which are just hatching.

The process, which shouldn't be carried out in temperatures over 75 degrees, should be repeated at 10-day intervals for about one month.

Bird Watchers At Churchill

CHURCHILL, Man.—Ornithologists, the people who make a business of bird-watching, are moving into this Northern Manitoba port in search of specimens.

Millions of birds each year fly here for the nesting season.

The state of Vatican City became an independent state in 1929.

Town & District

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robison and two children from Bremerton, Wash., and Mrs. Jennie Robison from Strathmore were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Frank Corbick. Mr. Robison is a nephew of Mrs. Burnice McKeever.

The by-law to sell the Community Hall to Mr. Richards was carried on Monday when 46 qualified voters out of 144 voted. Forty-three voted for the sale of the hall while three voted against the sale. There were no spoiled ballots. Incidentally taxpayers paid in a lot of money Monday to the town secretary, Mr. Horn.

On Thursday—tomorrow—an important meeting of the Red Cross will be held in the Community Hall at 8 p.m. The local committee of the Red Cross has called this meeting in an effort to get support for the work of the organization. A representative of the provincial branch will address the gathering. A blood donor clinic

is to be arranged at this meeting. A. W. Gillart is chairman of the local Red Cross.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reid a daughter, Carol Audrey, on June 12 at Wild Wood, Alta.

Geo. E. Bell, M.L.A., for this riding was nominated Social Credit candidate for the constituency at a nomination meeting held in Strathmore more last week.

Miss E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson of Chalk River, Ontario are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Klepp.

Students of Bow Valley Central High School wish to thank every one who contributed to making their graduation banquet and dance the success it was.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Farquharson left at six o'clock Saturday morning for P. E. I. by auto. They went to Calgary first to pick up a couple of drivers who will pilot the car as far east as Montreal. From there the

doctor will drive to P. E. I. He was born and raised in the eastern province. While in the east the doctor and Mrs. Farquharson will visit Ottawa where they will see their daughter Jean.

Mr. Thos. Bates, one ever obliging post master, spent several days in Calgary last week attending the post masters convention. Tom says he finds much pleasure in attending the annual convention and meets many old friends.

Mrs. F. Morgan returned home to Vancouver on Sunday after spending a month with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bahr.

Rev. W. Siefert and his daughter Mrs. Wilson and child of Golden B. C., spent Tuesday in town visiting old friends. Mr. Siefert was pastor of the United Church here and four years ago moved to Golden to take charge of the United Church there.

CARD OF THANKS
Mr. and Mrs. Leon Desjardins and family wish to thank sincerely all their friends, men and ladies, who helped in any way to make Thome's wedding day to be remembered forever. Thanks a million folks.

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THE OTTAWA LETTER
for himself and not the group.

Government is now the largest business in Canada and no one can say there is no waste of money, yet millions of contracts that have been let in recent years have been carefully reviewed and no one has even charged that there was any deliberate wrongdoing.

We know where the money comes from. It is secured by taxation from the earnings of the people in fact, about one-third of the national income goes to Dominion, provincial and municipal governments. It is interesting to see where the money goes that the dominion collects.

Of every tax dollar, six cents goes for defence, 25 cents goes for social security, 10 cents for interest on the national debt and the remaining 17 cents for important services to agriculture, industry and national development.

It is then clear that taxation could be cut down to half its present rate if it were not for the defence expenditure which every one feels we must keep up under present troubled world conditions.

According to statistics, women live four years longer than men. So you might as well give up, fellers, the wife will get the last word anyway.

BY-LAW NO. 410

A By-law of the Town of Gleichen, in the Province of Alberta, to authorize the Council to incur an indebtedness on behalf of the Town in the sum of Twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00).

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient for the Town of Gleichen to incur an indebtedness to overcome the annual threat of flood in the business section of the town, to grade and gravel its streets throughout the town, and to procure equipment to maintain the streets;

AND WHEREAS the cost of grading and graveling the streets is estimated to be \$14,000.00 the cost of installation and purchase of culverts \$9,000.00 and the cost of municipal equipment \$2,000.00;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed advisable that \$14,000.00 of the said

indebtedness should be spread over a period of ten years, and that the debentures issued thereunder shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding (6 percent) six per centum per annum; and that the said debentures be repayable in equal instalments each year with interest on the first day of September in each year during the currency thereof.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable property of the Town of Gleichen according to the last revised assessment roll of the said town is valued at \$1,000,000.00;

AND WHEREAS the total amount of the existing debentures of the said Town of Gleichen is Twenty-five thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), no part of the principal or interest thereof being in arrears;

AND WHEREAS the Town of Gleichen has at no time been in arrears of payments of debenture principal or interest.

ENACTS THE COUNCIL of the Municipal Council of the Town of Gleichen as follows:

1. That the Municipal Council of the Town of Gleichen is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into such contracts and covenants for the installation of culverts and the grading and graveling of the streets of the Town of Gleichen and the purchase of equipment for the maintenance of the said streets.

2. That for the purpose aforesaid the sum of Twenty-five thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) shall be borrowed by way of debenture upon the credit and security of the Town of Gleichen at large and the debentures to be issued under this by-law shall be for the said sum of Twenty-five thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) payable as hereinafter mentioned.

3. The said debentures shall be issued on or before the 1st day of September 1952 or upon such date as may be appropriate having regard to the date of the borrowing of the money, and shall be payable in equal instalments of principal on the first day of September in each of the years 1953 to 1958 inclusive, in respect of the amount of \$14,000.00 and in each of the years 1953 to 1962 inclusive in respect of the amount of \$9,000.00, at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Gleichen in respective amounts of principal maturing in each of such years being as set forth in schedule "A" hereto attached, which shall be deemed to be and forms part of this by-law.

The debentures maturing in each of such years shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum and such interest shall be payable annually on the first day of September in each year during the currency of the debentures and the debentures shall have coupons attached thereto for the payment of the said interest.

The debentures may be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or any multiple thereof.

4. There shall be levied and raised in each year of the currency of the debentures hereby authorized the amount necessary to pay the interest and principal falling due in each year on such debentures by a rate sufficient therefore on all rateable property in the Town and collectable at the same time in the same manner as other rates.

This by-law will come into effect immediately after the final passing thereof.

Read a first time this twenty-second day of May, 1952.

H. T. COLPOYS, Mayor.

A. HORN, Secretary-Treasurer.

FURTHERMORE, there shall be added after the word By-Law where it occurs in the thirteenth line of Section three on page one of this By-law the following words:

"Provided that such schedule will be amended in accordance with the agreed rate of interest to be paid."

H. T. COLPOYS, Mayor.

A. HORN, Secretary-Treasurer.

Certified a true copy.

A. HORN, Secretary-Treasurer.

The vote of the proprietary electors on this By-law shall be taken on Thursday, the third day of July, 1952 in the Town Hall between the hours of ten a.m. and seven p.m.

H. T. COLPOYS, Mayor.

A. HORN, Secretary-Treasurer.

SCHEDULE "A"
\$14,000.00 at 6% for five years.

Equal payments of principal.

1953 2,800.00 840.00 3,640.00

1954 2,800.00 872.00 3,672.00

1955 2,800.00 904.00 3,704.00

1956 2,800.00 936.00 3,736.00

1957 2,800.00 968.00 3,768.00

1958 2,800.00 1,000.00 3,800.00

14,000.00 5,232.00 16,232.00

\$11,000.00 at 6% for ten years.

Equal payments of principal.

1953 1,100.00 660.00 1,760.00

1954 1,100.00 694.00 1,794.00

1955 1,100.00 728.00 1,828.00

1956 1,100.00 762.00 1,862.00

1957 1,100.00 796.00 1,896.00

1958 1,100.00 830.00 1,930.00

1959 1,100.00 864.00 1,964.00

1960 1,100.00 898.00 1,998.00

1961 1,100.00 932.00 2,032.00

1962 1,100.00 966.00 2,066.00

11,000.00 5,832.00 16,832.00

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